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# REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.114

Sir:

A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified patent application is hereby made by the applicants. Applicants provide the submission indicated below.

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### **SUBMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.114**

Please enter the Amendment after Final Rejection under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on April 26, 2010.

Also submitted herewith is an Amendment.

## REQUEST FOR SUSPENSION OF ACTION

Applicants submit herewith a Request for Suspension of Action under 37 CFR 1.103(c) in the above-identified patent application .

#### RCE FEE AUTHORIZATION

Please charge the fee of \$810 for the Request for Continued Examination to Deposit Account No. 10-1250.

## REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants respectfully request a one (1) month extension of time for responding to the Office Action. Please charge the fee of \$130 for the extension of time to Deposit Account No. 10-1250.

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